



RECEIPT

FILE COPY

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF: Faan-Hoan Liu, et al.  
APPLICATION No.: 09/138,817  
FILED: August 21, 1998  
TITLE: Method And Apparatus For  
Allowing Communication  
Between A Host Computer  
And At Least Two Storage  
Devices Over A Single  
Interface (As Amended)

ART UNIT: 2787  
EXAMINER: Butler, Dennis M.

RECEIVED  
SEP 15 2000  
TC 2700 MAIL ROOM

#80

REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT

Office of Initial Patent Examination  
Customer Service Center  
The Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Applicant respectfully requests correction of the filing receipt as noted in red on the  
enclosed copy and issuance of the corrected filing receipt.

Respectfully submitted,

BLAKELY, SOKOLOFF, TAYLOR  
& ZAFMAN, L.L.P.

  
Gregg A. Peacock  
Registration No. 45,001  
12400 Wilshire Boulevard, Seventh Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90025-1026  
Telephone: (512) 330-0844  
Facsimile: (512) 330-0476

Date: August 14, 2000

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, Shenise Ramdeen, hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited on August 16, 2000 with the United States  
Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, D. C. 20231.

Shenise Ramdeen

ENTERED

FILING RECEIPT

O P E  
SEP 18 1998

AUG 22 2000 STATUS DB-LA



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Patent and Trademark Office  
ASSISTANT SECRETARY AND COMMISSIONER  
OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE	GRP ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	DRWGS	TOT CL	IND CL
09/138,406	08/21/98	2787	\$790.00	003057.P003DC	3	17	1

P  
W  
J  
BLAKELY

BLAKELEY-SOKOLOFF TAYLOR & ZAFMAN  
12400 WILSHIRE BLVD  
7TH FLOOR  
LOS ANGELES CA 90025

RECEIVED

SEP 18 1998

Synchrom  
Technology  
DMD

BLAKELY, SOKOLOFF, TAYLOR & ZAFMAN  
LOS ANGELES

Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Application Processing Division's Customer Correction Branch within 10 days of receipt. Please provide a copy of the Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon.

## Applicant(s)

FAAN-HOAN LIU, SANTA CRUZ, CA; JORGE GUSTAVSON,  
SANTA CRUZ, CA.

FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED 09/11/98

TITLE

TAPE BACKUP SYSTEM

PRELIMINARY CLASS: 395

RECEIVED  
SEP 15 2000  
TC 2700 MAIL ROOM



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FILE COPY

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231  
 www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

SERIAL NUMBER 09/138,817	FILING DATE 08/21/1998 RULE	CLASS 711	GROUP ART UNIT 2751	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 003057.P003D
-----------------------------	-----------------------------------	--------------	------------------------	--

## APPLICANTS

FAAN-HOAN LIU, SANTA CRUZ, CA ;  
 JORGE GUSTAVSON, SANTA CRUZ, CA ;

## \*\* CONTINUING DATA \*\*\*\*\*

## \*\* FOREIGN APPLICATIONS \*\*\*\*\*

## IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE

GRANTED \*\* 09/11/1998

Foreign Priority claimed	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	STATE OR COUNTRY CA	SHEETS DRAWING 17	TOTAL CLAIMS 1	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 1
35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance				
Verified and Acknowledged	Examiner's Signature	Initials			

## ADDRESS

BLAKELY SOKOLOFF TAYLOR & ZAFMAN  
 12400 WILSHIRE BLVD  
 7TH FLOOR  
 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025

## TITLE

Method and Apparatus for Allowing Communication Between a Host Computer and at least Two Storage Devices over a Single Interface

FILING FEE RECEIVED 1402	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Credit
-----------------------------	---	---